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## "THE KNIGHT OF THE SILVER STAR"

By Percy Brebner

**A** Novel filled with mystery and adventure will begin in the next issue of The Breckenridge News. Be certain to get the first chapter. All those who read "Jimmie Valentine" know what a pleasure it is to be interested in a continued story and have something special in a paper to look forward to each week. Harold Murray says he hates a continued story, but he is going to read "The Knight of The Silver Star" There are many who dislike serials because they usually stop every week at the very place you are most anxious to read. This story has the same characteristic, but it is worth your patience to read it. We are sure that Mr. Murray will not be alone in reading "The Knight of The Silver Star" Get next week's issue, if you fail to receive it let us know.

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### "VERY REMARKABLE" WAS THE PLAY.

Boys And Girls Of Cloverport High School Score a Big Hit With The Kentucky Belle. Crowded House Both Performances. CLEARED NEARLY \$70.

If they—Cloverport's boys and girls—had been "real actors" and "sure enough actresses" they could not have played "The Kentucky Belle" better than they did Thursday night and at the matinee Saturday in the school building. The crowd was so large at the opening performance, Prof. Tanner had to order the doors closed with a promise for a matinee Saturday.

The Cloverport Orchestra added much to the pleasure of the audience and so did the side features, the chorus girls and the infant wonder clog dancer, the gipsy queen in the scarf drill and "The Overall Boys", (the Misses May's class)

No entertainment of its kind ever took in such a pile of quarters as "The Kentucky Belle" which speaks for the popularity of the members of the cast. \$7.30 was taken in and the expenses will probably not exceed \$7. The play was given to defray the commencement of the Senior class and the members had little idea that they would get rich in a night. They were delighted with the co-operation and liberal support given them and their hearts have never been so fired with ambition.

The cast and those who played are as follows:

Miss Mariah Douglas—An Aristocratic Old Maid—Lenora McGavock; Miss Isabel Douglas—Miss Mariah's Neice—Claudia Pate; Jack Cason Gordon—alias Jack Cason telephone lineman—Andrew Ashby; Col. Wm. McMillen—A Suitor to Isabel—Randall Weatherholt; Cindy—The Colored House Maid—Jeanette Burn; Henry—Cindy's Sweetheart—Dwight Randall; Marie Van Harlenger—Isabel's Chum—Martha Miller; Dr. Blake—The Family Physician—Mike Tucker; Miss Madden—The Trained Nurse—Audrey Perkins; Mrs. Gordon—Jack Cason's mother—Susette Sawyer; Miss Dorothy Gordon—Jack Cason's sister—Eloise Nolte; Four Lineman—Eldred Babbage, Ruther Pate, Mike Tucker, Fred Pierce.

### Miss Walker Dead

Miss Ressie Walker, the young daughter of Mr. Frank Walker, died Thursday and the interment took place Friday afternoon in the Walker graveyard on the Pike. Her death was caused from tuberculosis. Miss Stella Walker, a sister of the deceased, is suffering of the same trouble.

### Rapid Fattening

Beard Bros. have finished delivering to Dennis Sheeran their sale of 100 hogs and 100 head of cattle they have been feeding. They fed one cow for forty-seven days and added to her weight seven pounds per day for the entire period. The feed was mixed, being part cotton seed meal.

### YOU CAN STAY AT HOME AND BE PATRIOTIC

You don't have to go to war to be patriotic. Improve your locality, uphold your town, enlarge its interests and lend a hand to all progressive movements, and you are a patriot and a lover of your country as truly as the soldier who shoulders his musket.—Hancock Clarion.

Miss Sahlie attended church at Hites Run Sunday.

### CONTRACT LET FOR COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

A Handsome Building of Eight Rooms Will Be Completed By Next August—Will Cost Nearly Nine Thousand Dollars

### HARDINSBURG TO GLORY IN IT

Hardinsburg, Ky. March 21 (Special)—The Owensboro Planing Mill Co. on the 15th was awarded the contract for erecting the High School building. Its bid of \$8985 was \$2700 less than some of the other bids. The work begins at once. The structure will be frame, two stories besides a basement, with concrete basement floor and a solid brick foundation to the first floor. There will be eight rooms. The work will be completed by August.

### MRS. LYONS STRUCK BY TRAIN NEAR GUSTON

The wife of Mr. "Bos" Lyons, who resides at Guston, Ky., while crossing the railroad track in front of the depot at Guston, last Monday, was struck by the work train, bound east. A bystander who was near, says that he thinks she had crossed the track before she was struck, though a box car partially obscured his view and he could not be certain. She was knocked 35 feet and sustained very serious injuries, having her collar bone, a rib, arm and leg broken. She was unconscious until late Thursday evening. The doctors this morning say she has a chance to recover.—Owensboro Enquirer

### Mrs. Elizabeth M. Rial Dies At Hawesville.

Hawesville Ky. March 16.—Mrs. Elizabeth M. Rial died at her home here this morning, of senile paralysis after six years affliction. She was in her eighty-seventh year, having been born in Nassau, Germany, May 5, 1824. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Elizabeth Heyman, of Newport, Ky.; Mrs. J. W. Reiss, of Louisville, Mrs. Linn McAdams and Mrs. J. D. Kelly, of Hawesville; Mrs. Frank Burrows, of Spencer county, Ind.; Dr. G. W. Rial, of Owensboro and Mr. E. E. Rial, of Louisville. The remains will be buried in the Hawesville cemetery tomorrow afternoon.

### New Irvington Officers.

The election of new officers for the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church the ensuing year resulted in the following: Mrs. Robert Bell, president; Mrs. Sam Dowell, vice president; Mrs. Lon Dowell, secretary; Mrs. J. S. Love, treasurer. Several new members were added to the society.

### What Sweet Girl Graduates Should Have.

Pretty dresses and engraved cards every sweet girl who is to be graduated in May or June should have both. The News office can order the engraved cards from \$1 up to \$5 for 50 and the brass plates. The News also furnishes some mighty good hints for dresses through its advertisements.

### Will Speak Friday Night.

Mrs. Dufenderfer will speak at the Presbyterian church Friday night. She is sent by the Presbyterian Home Board and no charge for admission. Her subject has not been announced. She will be the guest of Mrs. Alvin Simons.

### FRANKS ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY

For Republican Nomination For Governor, and is the First Aspirant to Officially Announce.

### OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Louisville, Ky., March 17.—Formal announcement that he seeks the Republican nomination for Governor was made by former Collector E. T. Franks, of Owensboro, who was in Louisville yesterday. In making the announcement Mr. Franks stated that he reached the decision to enter the race only after careful consideration, and following many conferences with his political friends and advisers, the last of which was held in Owensboro Wednesday.

Lieut. Gov. William H. Cox has formally announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Governor from Maysville.

Paducah, Ky., March 18.—Central Committeeman W. A. Berry left tonight for Louisville to confer with anti-McCreary men concerning Circuit Judge William Reed's candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor, and it is understood if the conference is satisfactory Mr. Berry has authority to make the announcement for Judge Reed.

### WILL SPEND FIRST MONEY FOR AUTOMOBILE

Seattle, Wash., March 19.—From a night clerkship in a West Lake Boulevard hotel to comparative affluence was the change in circumstances that came to J. C. Hagerman yesterday as the result of a Kentucky court decision, which awarded him the estate valued at \$17,645 left by his grandfather, J. B. Hagerman, at Bowling Green, Ky.

Mr. Hagerman has been a resident of Seattle for the past five years. He says the first thing he will do is to buy an Automobile and enjoy himself.

### No Bitterness

No more prolific writer exists anywhere than Col. W. P. Walton. He fills nearly a whole page in the Lexington Herald every day and it is remarkable how one man can grind out that much editorial matter. What is more remarkable is that Col. Walton makes all his stuff readable and bright even though it occasionally has a tinge of bitterness.—Frankfort News-Journal.

We thank Editor Dunlap for the undeserved compliment, but must demur to the charge of bitterness. If we know ourselves we cherish bitterness for no one and have little reason to do so if we did. We work amid pleasant surroundings with and for a gentleman who permits us the greatest liberty of expression, and hardly a wave of trouble, much less bitterness, rolls across our peaceful breast. Besides we have arrived at the age when we do not consider it necessary to write or speak meanly of everyone who disagrees with us, and therefore we neither cultivate nor cherish animosities.

Mr. Walton in the Lexington Herald If there is anything that takes bitterness out of a man, it is news-paper work.

### Savings Bank A Success

The Postal Savings Bank at Middletown ranks forty-fourth in the statistics compiled by the Post-office Department its twenty-nine patrons have deposited \$308, giving them an average balance of \$10.62. Leadville, Colorado, heads the list.

### MOVING DAYS IN CLOVERPORT

Vacant Houses As Scarce As Hen's Teeth—People Walking the Streets to Find Homes—Not Enough Roofs to Cover the Heads

### NO RELIEF IN SIGHT

That there is always room for one more is not true in Cloverport. A vacant house cannot be found in Pigeon Roost, Eastland, St. Rose Court, Breckenridge Addition or Cow-Heel. There isn't even a shack in Tin Can Alley nor a shanty down on Slick Creek that is not full and running over.

Cloverport is in a dilemma. The house question becomes more serious every day. And a new comer could hardly find a place to lay his head.

There seems to be no remedy, not a house is being built to relieve the situation. The Cloverport Real Estate & Improvement Company has all its money tied up in houses and lots; it cannot lay a single foundation for the home-seekers. Cloverport needs houses and wants them and if anyone has any money to put in real-estate, they could find no better place than this city to make investments.

Everybody who comes here likes the town and it is an ideal place for a home and for this reason there is a scarcity of dwelling houses.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murray and family have been trying in vain for several weeks to get a house as they have to give possession of the Gibson property as soon as possible as Mr. and Mrs. Gibson are anxious to move in their own home.

Marion Weatherholt and family have moved to their house on Third Street on the Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Babbage, of Louisville, are moving into Mr. Weatherholt's house which they have bought. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stone will make their home with them and the house they vacate, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Lawson will take. The Lawsons have been waiting for this place several months.

Mrs. Hester Carman is moving this week in the residence with Mr. and Mrs. Wetherington.

Mr. and Mrs. Willm Arbra have bought the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Simons on the hill and will take possession this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Hilton have gone to housekeeping in Third Street.

There are several families besides the Murray's who are looking for nice comfortable and convenient houses. There are many who have stored away their furniture and are occupying only one or two rooms trying to make the best of living in a pinch.

### R. E. WOODS ELECTED HEAD OF BUILDING ASSOCIATION

Postmaster Robert E. Woods has been elected president of the Jefferson Savings and Building Association, a new concern organized to encourage saving and building.—Louisville Times.

### Sipes-Lewis Wedding

William H. Lewis and Miss Sallie Sipes, of Irvington, were married Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Morrison. Rev. Frank Farmer officiated. The groom is a nephew of Mrs. Morrison and a very popular and efficient railroad man. He is foreman of the round house at Irvington.

### WINDY DAY AT AKERS' SALE.

Big Crowd Breckenridge Folks Get a Touch of Oklahoma and Kansas Gale—Col. Dave Henry Cryer.

### \$3,000 WORTH DISPOSED OF.

It was a wild Western day that greeted the great crowd that attended Squire Akers' sale near Irvington last Wednesday. A perfect gale kept up the whole day, and it kept men busy dodging behind barns and crouching down on the sunny side to keep out of the chilling, cutting blasts. Some said it was a real Kansas day, or one like they have every day in Oklahoma. But in spite of the wind and cold Col. Dave Henry got on the sunny side of the large barn and started things rolling.

The wind did not seem to effect the crowd for bidding, as everything brought good prices.

Squire Akers has a splendid farm, well improved; a nice home, large commodious barn, fine stock, up-to-date farming utensils and all that goes to make up a good farm. The wonder of many was why he should leave such a good place and move to town.

### Notes.

Conductor Arch Pulliam thinks he captured the greatest bargain at the sale. It was a Jersey cow and calf knocked off to him at \$69.50.

W. N. Holt, the restaurant man of Irvington, was kept busy supplying the inner wants of man with hot coffee, sandwiches and fruits.

Hogs, cattle, sheep and mules all sold for good prices.

W. J. Piggott was the clerk.

Many leading stock dealers from a distance and different sections of the county were present.

Squire Akers was well pleased with the prices.

### Mr. Farleigh Lectures

Mr. James Farleigh was in town Saturday and presented his second lecture on "Federal Procedure." Mr. Farleigh who attended Centre College, is offering a course of five lectures on the above subject before the Law School and the address Saturday was the second of the series.—Danville Messenger

### The County Union Meets.

The Farmers County Union meets at Harned today, Wednesday, to ratify or reject another bid that has recently been made on their pledged tobacco. We understand the price offered is from \$4 to \$12, and that it will be satisfactory to the Union and will be ratified. If this sale is consummated it will loosen up financial matters in that section wonderfully, and put new life into business and a smile on the faces of the farmers.

Miss Annie Huff, of Herbert, is visiting Mrs. Jas. Sahlie.

### Makes Home Baking Easy

**ROYAL**  
  
**BAKING POWDER**  
Absolutely Pure  
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar  
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

### TRAVELING LIBRARIES IN KENTUCKY

Kentucky Library Commission Frankfort, Ky. 1911.

They are collections of books for general reading and study for adults, young people and children, furnished by the state and loaned through the library commission.

They are for rural communities without library privileges, for study clubs and individual students, and to supplement the collection of books in small libraries, institutions and schools.

The conditions are, of an agreement by the library board, club officers, or at least five tax payers.

1—To provide a suitable place for the library, centrally located, and easily accessible.

2—To loan the books without charge.

3—To be responsible for safe keeping and return of the books in good condition.

4—To return the library at the end of six months unless extension of time is granted.

5—To pay two dollars to cover the cost of transportation from Frankfort and returning.

The Study Libraries are small libraries on special subjects made up from the General Loan Collection for the use of study clubs, debating societies and individual students. They are sent out free except for the cost of transportation and for thirty days with privilege of extension of time.

A farmers library consisting of fifteen books on agriculture subjects will be sent on request either separately or that number on general reading in a regular library.

If you want a traveling library or books for reading, or study, write to the Kentucky Library Commission, Frankfort, Kentucky.

### Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Randall announce the engagement of their niece, Miss Marion Browning to Robert Vittore, Professor of Art in the University of Chicago. The wedding will take place after Lent at Douglas, Wyoming and will be a beautiful church affair followed by a reception at the Davis. Miss Browning visited her aunt in Louisville several times and was in Cloverport during her last stay in Kentucky.

Matters not where I go, I am always glad to get back to Cloverport. It is the best place I know for a home.—P. D. Plank